



FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Formations of, Acquisitions by, and Mergers of Bank Holding Companies

The companies listed in this notice have applied to the Board for approval, pursuant to the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956 (12 U.S.C. 1841 *et seq.*) (BHC Act), Regulation Y (12 CFR part 225), and all other applicable statutes and regulations to become a bank holding company and/or to acquire the assets or the ownership of, control of, or the power to vote shares of a bank or bank holding company and all of the banks and nonbanking companies owned by the bank holding company, including the companies listed below.

The applications listed below, as well as other related filings required by the Board, are available for immediate inspection at the Federal Reserve Bank indicated. The applications will also be available for inspection at the offices of the Board of Governors. Interested persons may express their views in writing on the standards enumerated in the BHC Act (12 U.S.C. 1842(c)). If the proposal also involves the acquisition of a nonbanking company, the review also includes whether the acquisition of the nonbanking company complies with the standards in section 4 of the BHC Act (12 U.S.C. 1843). Unless otherwise noted, nonbanking activities will be conducted throughout the United States.

Unless otherwise noted, comments regarding each of these applications must be received at the Reserve Bank indicated or the offices of the Board of Governors not later than July 29, 2019.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City (Dennis Denney, Assistant Vice President) 1 Memorial Drive, Kansas City, Missouri 64198-0001:

1. *Firststar Financial Corp., Muskogee, Oklahoma*; to acquire voting shares of Fort Gibson State Bank, Fort Gibson, Oklahoma. In connection with this application, Applicant also has applied to acquire the Steve Clinkenbeard Agency, Fort Gibson, Oklahoma, and thereby engage in the sale of insurance in a town of less than 5,000 in population pursuant to 12 CFR 228.28(b)(11)(i) and Tri-Rivers Insurance, LLP, Fort Gibson, Oklahoma, and thereby engage in credit-related insurance activities pursuant to 12 CFR 228.28(b)(11)(i) Regulation Y.

B. Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis (Mark A. Rauzi, Vice President),
90 Hennepin Avenue, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55480-0291:

1. *Bank Forward Employee Stock Ownership Plan and Trust, Fargo, North Dakota*; to acquire up to 35 percent of Security State Bank Holding Company, Fargo, North Dakota, and thereby indirectly acquire shares of Bank Forward, Hannaford, North Dakota.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, June 27, 2019.

Yao-Chin Chao,
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